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Honorable Edwin (Jake) Garn
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Senator Garn:

Pursuant to my note to you of 28 April, I wish to thank you for the interest you expressed in your letter of 26 April concerning Soviet ICBM accuracy and the U.S. contribution, through technology transfer, to that capability.

As you know, the Agency shares your serious concern about this crucial question and has been organizing for some time to document and assist in curtailing the outflow of such vital data.

Please be assured that responsible Agency components have been alerted to your personal interest and support in this matter and are indeed expediting the preparation of the comprehensive assessment which you mention. They estimate completion of the assessment by mid-summer.

Thank you, again, for your continuing interest in this problem.

Sincerely,

William J. Casey
Director of Central Intelligence

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